PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.J. RES. 27—WITHDRAWING THE APPROVAL OF THE UNITED STATES FROM THE AGREEMENT ESTABLISHING THE WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

JUNE 7, 2005.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

Mr. Hastings of Washington, from the Committee on Rules, submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany H. Res. 304]

The Committee on Rules, having had under consideration House Resolution 304, by a nonrecord vote, report the same to the House with the recommendation that the resolution be adopted.

SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS OF THE RESOLUTION

The resolution provides for the consideration of H.J. Res. 27, Withdrawing the Approval of the United States from the Agreement Establishing the World Trade Organization, a closed rule. The rule provides two hours of debate equally divided among and controlled by the chairman and ranking member of the Committee on Ways and Means, Representative Paul of Texas, and Representative Sanders of Vermont.

Section 2 of the resolution provides that during consideration of H.J. Res. 27 pursuant to the resolution, notwithstanding the operation of the previous question, the Chair may postpone further consideration of the bill to a time designated by the Speaker.